

**ABSTRACT**

A retaining device for an airbag module is provided. At least a portion of the airbag module is connected to the retaining device. The retaining device may include a hook and an element for fastening the device to a motor vehicle component. The component may be, for example, a vehicle seat or a vehicle door. The element for fastening the device to the motor vehicle component may include an opening and fastener arrangement or a clip type arrangement.

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